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WITCH'S HAYRIDE
 OCTOBER 27TH & 29TH

TAKE A HAYRIDE TO VISIT THE WITCH OF WHITEMARSH AT CEDAR GROVE PARK.

THE FRIENDLY WITCH OF WHITEMARSH WILL SHARE SOME HALLOWEEN STORIES & CANDY-CORNY JOKES, BEFORE SENDING YOU ON YOUR WAY WITH A SPECIAL TREAT!

THIS HAYRIDE IS NOT A HAUNTED HAYRIDE, AND IS PERFECT FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN!
 CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT WHEN RIDING THE HAYWAGON.

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

30MIN TIMESLOTS | 5:30PM - 9:00PM | \$5 PER-PERSON

100 CEDAR GROVE ROAD, CONSHOHOCKEN, PA 19428

TO REGISTER, CALL OR VISIT | WWW.WHITEMARSHPARKS.ORG | (610) 828-7276



TOWNSHIP CONTACT INFORMATION

Administration Building

616 Germantown Pike
Lafayette Hill, PA 19444
610-825-3535 (TEL)
610-825-9416 (FAX)

Police Department

616 Germantown Pike
Lafayette Hill, PA 19444
610-825-6530 (Non-Emergency)
610-825-5078 (FAX)
911 (EMERGENCY)

Public Works Department

2015 Joshua Road
Lafayette Hill, PA 19444
610-825-3424 (TEL)
610-825-3144 (FAX)

Parks & Recreation Department

(Koontz Park)
2391 Harts Lane
Lafayette Hill, PA 19444
610-828-7276 (TEL)
610-828-7391 (FAX)

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LETTER FROM
THE CHAIR

Greetings,

2020 has been a challenging year for the Township and our residents alike. The Board of Supervisors cannot adequately express our gratitude to those of you who have answered the call, whether as a first-responder, healthcare worker, essential employee, or those who have simply taken time to check on the well-being of a loved one or neighbor.

During these challenging times, it is important to remember that it is okay not to feel okay and to seek out resources and support when in need. The pandemic has put added stress on all of us. There are excellent resources available through organizations like the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) to help residents receive care and access prescription drugs during the pandemic. Montgomery County Mobile Crisis provides not only immediate support for crisis situations, but also assistance with managing recurring or future crises. Support is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at **1-855-634-HOPE (4673)**. This service is available to anyone in Montgomery County, including children, teens, adults, and families.

Our Township staff has worked tirelessly to maintain operations

during the pandemic and implement proper guidelines and protocols. I am especially proud of the efforts made by our Parks and Recreation Department during the summer months. Despite the many barriers created by the pandemic, the hard work of these staff members provided hundreds of children and local families an opportunity for safe and enjoyable child care and recreation during a time when few options were available.

With the election only a few weeks away, we'd like to remind residents to register to vote **before the October 19th, 2020 deadline**. Residents may vote by absentee ballot, mail-in ballot, or in-person. A current list of polling places is included in this edition of Whitemarsh Living, but things may have changed by the time you are reading this. The Montgomery County Voter Services office is the best resources for updated information: www.montcopa.org/voterservices

This edition of Whitemarsh Living also includes advertisements for a variety of great events. All events will adhere to current public health guidance, but as the situation with the pandemic is fluid, we encourage everyone to be alert for sudden event

cancellations. Cancellations for Township-sponsored events will be posted to our social media pages and announced in our weekly newsletters. If you have not already signed up for our newsletter, please do so by visiting our website and scrolling to the bottom of the homepage:

www.whitemarshTWP.org.

Please also consider signing up for NotifyMe® in the News and Publications section of the township webpage.

Once again, I'd like to thank you all for your individual efforts in assisting our community manage these challenging times. Whether you are a first responder or healthcare worker on the front lines, or simply take the time and effort to follow public health guidance for the benefits of others, your efforts are contributing to the solution. Please stay vigilant and check in regularly on your loved ones and neighbors.



Sincerely,

Laura Boyle Nester

Laura Boyle Nester, *Chair*
Whitemarsh Board of Supervisors

YOUR WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Laura Boyle Nester
Chair



Fran McCusker
Vice-Chair



Michael Drossner



Vincent Manuele



Jacy Toll

GET READY TO VOTE



WHITEMARSH
TOWNSHIP
2020 GENERAL
ELECTION
INFORMATION

The 2020 General Election is Tuesday, November 3rd.
You can vote by Absentee Ballot, Mail-In Ballot, OR In Person.

Polling Places: Open on Election Day from 7am-8pm.

Some polling locations are still being finalized
by the County Voter Services Office
as of the date of this edition's publication.

Please check the Voter Services
Office website for updates:

www.montcopa.org/voterservices

ALL registered voters will receive
a letter via U.S. Mail in October
from the County with their
polling location.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

2020 MONTGOMERY COUNTY PA RESIDENTIAL EVENTS

By Appointment Only, Preregistration is Required

Sunday, October 11

Indian Valley Middle School

130 Maple Ave., Harleysville

Registration Link:

[10-11-2020 Harleysville HHW Event at eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/10-11-2020-Harleysville-HHW-Event)

Sunday, October 25

Lower Merion Transfer Station

1300 N. Woodbine Ave., Penn Valley

Registration Link:

[10-25-2020 Pennvalley HHW Event at eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/10-25-2020-Pennvalley-HHW-Event)

Saturday, October 31

Abington Junior High School

Enter at 2056 Susquehanna Rd., Abington

Registration Link:

[10-31-2020 Abington HHW Event at eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/10-31-2020-Abington-HHW-Event)

Saturday, November 7

Temple University-Ambler Campus

Enter at 1431 E. Butler Pike, Ambler

Registration Link:

[11-7-2020 Ambler HHW Event at eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/11-7-2020-Ambler-HHW-Event)

Free residential collection events are held outdoors. Residents may attend any Household Hazardous Waste event held by Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, or Philadelphia Counties.

For additional information and in case of severe weather:

Please visit [MontcoPARecycles.org](https://www.MontcoPARecycles.org), [email recycling@montcopa.org](mailto:recycling@montcopa.org), or call the recycling line at 610.278.3618. Please do not contact the host sites, as they are not affiliated with the events.

In case of severe weather, call 610.278.3618, option 6 for event status.



Follow us on Facebook at [MontgomeryCountyRecycling](https://www.facebook.com/MontgomeryCountyRecycling).

ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS

PAINT PRODUCTS	OUTDOOR PRODUCTS	AUTOMOTIVE PRODUCTS	HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS	HOUSEHOLD OTHER
Turpentine	Swimming Pool Chemicals	Grease & Rust Solvents	Drain Openers	Acids, Caustics, Solvents
Paint Thinners	Weed Killers	Fuel Additives	Rug Cleaners	Flammables
Strippers & Removers	Septic Tank Degreasers	Carburetor Cleaners	Wood & Metal Cleaners	Oxidizers
Oil-Based Paints	Asphalt Sealers	Transmission/Brake Fluid	Mothballs/Flakes	Reactives
Stains, Varnish	Caulking Compounds	Antifreeze	Adhesives/Solvents	Lead
Shellac	Joint Compound	Car (lead-acid), Truck, Motorcycle, Marine, Batteries	Rechargeable batteries, Lithium, Ni-Cad, Button, Lead Acid	Mercury (Thermostats & Thermometers)
Other Solvent-Based Paint Products	Roof Cements	Gas, Oil, Gas Oil Mixture	Spot Removers Dry Cleaning Fluid	Fluorescent Tubes, Ballast, and CFLs
Wallpaper Cement	MINI Propane Tanks	Road Flares	Fire Extinguishers	Aerosols
Spray Paint	Pesticide		Kerosene	Electric Oil-filled Heaters

MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Valerie A. Arkoosh, MD, MPH, *Chair* • Kenneth E. Lawrence, Jr., *Vice Chair* • Joseph C. Gale, *Commissioner*

Applying for a Building & Zoning Permit Application

1.) Go to www.whitemarshtwp.org,
(**Keyword Search: Building & Zoning Permit Application**)



2.) Download and print out the online PDF. This permit allows work such as new building construction, to work such as roofing, plumbing, or electrical.

3.) Complete the first five pages of the application only. Required details include the work being done, who will be doing the work, and the contractor's insurance.



4.) Use the attached checklist to make sure all required documents and information are present.

5.) For successful submission, mail:

- a.) The complete form
- b.) Supporting documents
- c.) Attached checklist
- d.) Payment

to the **Whitemarsh Township Building**
(Attn: Charlie Guttenplan)

616 Germantown Pike, Lafayette Hill, PA, 19444.



Questions? Call **484-594-2607**, or
Email jfrangiosa@whitemarshtwp.org.



2020 Leaf Collection & Composting Program

Each Fall, our Public Works Department collects an average of 1,500 tons of leaves from every curb in Whitemarsh Township. These leaves then undergo a months-long process at our Public Works building that turn them into mulch. Typically by mid-summer, this mulch becomes available for residents to purchase and use.

Leaf collection runs once a week (weather permitting) between the months of October and December.

(See Township website for 2020 Start Date.)



To ensure proper curbside collection, and the safety of our Public Works crews and equipment, residents should:

- **Keep sticks, debris and waste out of leaf piles.**
- **Do not bag leaves! Bagged leaves cannot be collected by our machines.**

For more information on the Leaf Collection Program:

Visit **www.whitemarshtwp.org**
 Contact Public Works at **610-825-3424**,
 or Email **jfields@whitemarshtwp.org**



DON'T BE THE DEALER



Keep them safe. Clean them out.
Take them back.

Saturday, October 24
10 a.m. – 2 p.m.



Visit DEATakeBack.com for a collection site near you.

SERVE - PROTECT - DEFEND

The mission of the Whitemarsh Township Police Department is to tirelessly protect the citizens of our great community, to serve those citizens without prejudice, and to defend our community under any circumstance.

The unmitigated commitment of each member of this department reflects the true nature of the men and women who demonstrate exemplary conduct on and off duty. Through our service to the community we promote the quality of life and ensure justice.

The men and women of the Whitemarsh Township Police Department strive to make Whitemarsh Township a great place to live and work.

This goal shall be accomplished each and every day with honesty, respect and integrity.

WTPD RECEIVES REACCREDITATION

Whitemarsh Township Police Department received their Reaccreditation Plaque from the Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police on August 24, 2020, for the three year Accreditation cycle that ended April 7, 2020.



Pictured left to right, Lt. Jeffrey Nowak, PA Chiefs Accreditation Program Manager Dick Hammon, Lt. Greg Keenan, Chief Christopher Ward and Chief James Adams (ret.) Upper Allen Police (PA Chiefs Representative)

WTPD K-9 Officer & Partner Support Neighbors

On Sunday, August 23, 2020 a Sergeant with the Upper Gwynedd Police Department was shot at while investigating a suspicious person complaint near a wooded area in Upper Gwynedd Township. Fortunately, the Sergeant was uninjured. Neighboring police departments responded to the scene to assist with locating and arresting the suspect. K-9 Officer Matt Stadulis and his partner Nika were among the responding officers.

Upon arrival, Nika was immediately deployed to track

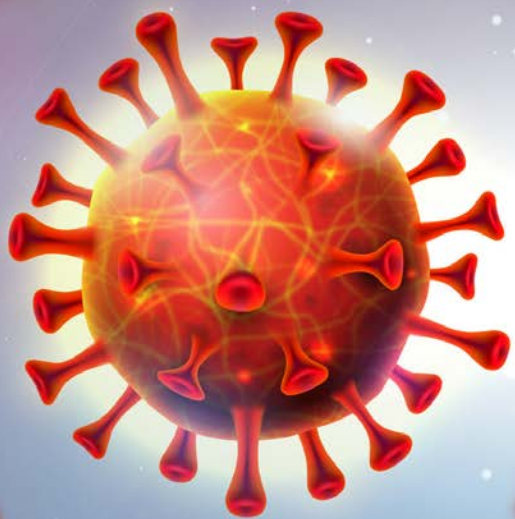
the suspect. Once the suspect was located and arrested without further incident, Nika transitioned to searching the wooded area for evidence. During that search, Nika guided Ofc. Stadulis to numerous pieces of evidence that included an additional firearm that the suspect had staged in the woods.



Pictured (left) is Nika receiving her reward, a "Frosty Paws" K-9 ice cream treat after working tirelessly during the hot and humid summer day.



@WhitemarshTownshipPD



COVID-19 CORONAVIRUS

Whitemarsh Township has ensured and continues to ensure that services have not been affecting during our health emergency. Our Office of Emergency Management has worked with township departments, our ambulance squad, both fire companies, the library, health care facilities, and the sewer authority to coordinate the response and to make sure all of their staff and residents remain safe.

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FIRE
MARSHAL



Nick Weaver
Whitemarsh Township
Fire Marshal & Emergency Management Coord.
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NWeaver@whitemarshntp.org

Did you know cooking is the
No. 1 cause of home fires
and home fire injuries?

Fire Prevention Week™
is Oct. 4-10.
Learn more
at fpw.org.

SERVE UP

Fire Safety

IN THE KITCHEN!





STAY TUNED FOR UPDATES!

Check our website, weekly newsletter, and social media, for updates on virtual, and socially-distant, presentations!

SMOKE ALARMS, SAVE LIVES

Smoke alarms are needed in your home! They should, at least, be in the following locations:

- One on each floor
- Outside of sleeping areas, like in a hallway
- One in each sleeping area, like each person's bedroom

Whitemarsh Township, Barren Hill Fire Company, and Spring Mill Fire Company are all participants in **Operation 6abc: Save-A-Life** program. The Save-A-Life program provides 10-year Lithium Ion battery smoke alarms to residents, **at no cost!**

If you don't have smoke alarms in these locations, or if you don't know if you do, contact the Township's Office of Emergency Management.



PLAN YOUR ESCAPE!



IF A FIRE OCCURRED IN YOUR HOUSE TONIGHT, WOULD YOUR FAMILY GET OUT SAFELY?

YOU MAY ONLY HAVE SECONDS TO SAFELY ESCAPE YOUR OWN HOME. DEVELOP AND PRACTICE AN ESCAPE PLAN & MEETING PLACE WITH EVERYONE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD!



Firefighters understand that
pets are a part of your
family!

If your pet does not make
it out of the house with
you, let first responders
know right away, so they
can search them out!

READYMONTCo

ReadyMontCo is a mass notification system used by county and local Emergency Management organizations to provide immediate and real time info to residents during emergencies.

Be Alert • Be Informed
READYMONTCo

Powered By
 Montgomery County
 Department of Public Safety



With hurricane season upon us, being a participant of **ReadyMontCo** will get you alerts based on where your home is, as well as your current location.

The alerts can be modified to fit your needs, such as: phone calls, emails, texts, or emails.

Have you signed up for ReadyMontCo?
 If not, don't wait!
Sign Up today!

To SIGN UP, VISIT:
[HTTPS://WWW.MONTCOPA.ORG/3311/READYMONTCO](https://www.montcopa.org/3311/readymontco)

GRILLS, FIRE PITS, & OPEN BURNING

Cooking Grills must be ten feet away from your house and are prohibited on balconies.

Approved open burning (fire pit) containers, such as one purchased from a home improvement store, it must be fifteen feet away from the house and structures. Without an approved burning container, fires must be fifty feet away from the structure. If the burn pile is less than three feet in diameter and two feet high, the minimum distance is reduced to twenty feet. The fire must be constantly attended and a fire extinguisher or garden hose must be readily available to extinguish the fire.

HOW CAN YOU HELP IN THE BATTLE TO MANAGE COVID-19 IN OUR COMMUNITY?

Now more than ever, your generous support is needed for our local hometown heroes at Whitemarsh Community Ambulance Association (WCAA). During the COVID-19 pandemic, these paramedics and EMTs are here for you 24/7. This team is ready to handle not only the normal demands of 911 emergencies, but also the surges and additional requirements of COVID-19 symptom management.

The costs of this added COVID-required Personal Protection Equipment (PPE), cleaning supplies, and additional staffing time for decontamination measures are expensive. However, these precautions are essential to maintain the safety of both the residents that are served, as well as

the ambulance crews. Although WCAA has proactively requested grants from local, state, and federal sources to help to fund these efforts, now more than ever your financial help is still needed. Will you consider supporting this pandemic response effort that is so vital to the safety of our community?

In these uncertain times, the WCAA mission remains clear: to consistently provide the highest quality pre-hospital care to the residents of and visitors to our operational area. We continue to serve and keep our heads up even in difficult times. Your financial contribution and support will enable us to continue to act on this mission and to keep patient and crew safety a priority. Thank you for being there especially at this time when your support is most needed!

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WHITEMARSH COMMUNITY AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION



DONATE
[HTTPS://WWW.WHITEMARSHEMS.ORG](https://www.whitemarshems.org)



PLEASE JOIN OUR 2020-2021 SUBSCRIPTION DRIVE! [HTTP://WWW.AMBULANCEBILLINGOFFICE.COM/SUBSCRIPTIONS/WCAA](http://www.ambulancebillingoffice.com/subscriptions/wcaa)



BARREN HILL VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY

647 Germantown Pike, Lafayette Hill, PA 19444

(610)825-2250 • www.barrenhill.com

Proudly serving Whitemarsh Township and our Neighboring Communities since 1915

Operations Officers

Fire Chief Chris Schwartz (1998)
 Deputy Chief Renard Rose (1999)
 Assistant Chief Tim Tygh (2003)
 Assistant Chief Scott Yoder (1995)
 Battalion Chief Joseph "Bucky" Swider (1997)
 Captain Jamie Viall (2003)
 Captain Chris Hummel (2009)
 Lieutenant Chris Breish (2013)
 Lieutenant Shaun Maher (2000)
 Lieutenant Dave Cox (2005)
 Safety Officer Pat DiCicco (1993)
 Chief Engineer Mike Gaffney (1999)
 Fire Police Captain Scott Rotenbury (1974)

Administrative Officers

President Renard Rose (1999)
 Vice President Joseph "Bucky" Swider (1997)
 Secretary Gene Langerfeld (1969)
 Treasurer Paul Stanish (1977)

Board of Trustees

Shel Klein - Chairman (1991)
 Tim Tygh (2003)
 Scott Yoder (1995)
 John Lynch (2001)
 Pat DiCicco (1993)
 Shaun Maher (2000)
 Pat Gaffney (2020)

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COVID-19

It goes without saying that 2020 has been nothing like any of us have experienced in the past. This includes our Volunteers at the Barren Hill Volunteer Fire Company. When faced with the challenges of the COVID-19 Pandemic, our Volunteers never missed a step in our commitment to service to our Whitemarsh Township Community. While we prepared for the long haul, assuring the health and safety of our Volunteer responders and the Community, we valued the Communities support that has been unwavering. We recognize our Community's support and we are sincerely appreciative.

While we continue to work through the COVID-19 Pandemic, our Volunteers confirm our commitment to service and the Community and will not waver. While our Firehouse remains closed to the public and our responses remain modified, the services we provide are not limited and will not be diminished. When you need us, our Volunteers will be there!

RESCUE 29 - NOW IN SERVICE

The Officers and Members of the Barren Hill Volunteer Fire Company were excited to place Rescue 29 in service in the Spring 2020. Rescue 29 was brought to Whitemarsh Township following the culmination of more than three years of planning. Rescue 29, a 2019 Spartan Gladiator Rescue Pumper, combines the resources and abilities of two apparatus that were retired in 2017 and 2018. Rescue 29 will continue to provide Fire & Rescue services to Whitemarsh Township and our surrounding communities for the next twenty years!



BHVFC CELEBRATES 150 YEARS OF SERVICE

On October 15, 1915, following a disastrous fire in Barren Hill, the citizens of the Community recognized the need for a volunteer fire company. 30 members of the Community came together and the Barren Hill Volunteer Fire Company was born and Organized. 105 years later, our volunteers remain committed to the mission of providing fire and rescue services. While 2020 has cancelled many events, it cannot cancel the commitment and dedication to the Community that our Volunteers live by each day. While we celebrate our 105th Anniversary in different and inventive ways this year, we are appreciative of the Community's continued support as we continue to look to the future.

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DON'T WAIT ANY LONGER... COME JOIN OUR FIRE COMPANY, NOW!

Do you know that Fire Companies in Whitemarsh Township are operated nearly exclusively by Volunteers? While each Station does have two career firefighters during the daytime hours and part time coverage that assures apparatus drivers during the evening and weekend hours, the majority of our operations are supported by Volunteers.

Our Volunteers are just like you; We have families, work full time jobs, coach little league sports, help our kids with homework, do chores around the house, support other volunteer organizations, and the list goes on. Why not join our team? We can do it, so can you!

According to statistics from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in the 1970's, the number of volunteer firefighters was estimated at more than 300,000. In the early 2000's, the number of volunteer firefighters diminished to an estimate 60,000. In 2018, number of volunteer firefighters has fallen to near critical levels estimated at just 38,000.

How can you help? Stop by and see us. Ask how you can become part of our family! Our family consists of people from all walks of life, from every neighborhood in Whitemarsh, from different economic, social and religious backgrounds. There is a job for everyone! We are accountants, businesspersons, doctors, retirees, IT specialists, college and high school students, school teachers, sales persons, police officers, career firefighters, business owners and many others. Don't wait, stop by and say Hello, today!! We have a spot for you!

WWW.BARRENHILL.COM/VOLUNTEER



If your smoke detectors are more than ten (10) years old and / or your carbon monoxide detectors are more than five (5) years old, it is strongly recommended that they be replaced. The Barren Hill Volunteer Fire Company is an annual participant in the Operation 6abc Save-A-Life Smoke Detector Program. If you are in need of a smoke detector or an evaluation of your home's smoke / CO detectors, call 610-825-2250 to make an appointment.



SPRING MILL FIRE COMPANY No. 1

WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP - MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PA - STATION 45

1210 EAST HECTOR STREET CONSHOHOCKEN, PA 19428

(610)825-1164 • www.springmillfire.com



A SALUTE TO WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP

Many of you in the community have likely seen parades of Fire & EMS apparatus on neighborhood streets as we helped to bring well wishes for birthdays and other festivities during the pandemic. As part of our commitment and service to the community, our Volunteers and Staff were happy to bring joy during the most uncertain time of our lives. Since the crisis began, we have participated in nearly seventy (70) parades. After much discussion, the fire and ambulance companies within Whitemarsh Township determined a final send-off was in order before returning to normal operations!

With that said our Volunteers and Staff conducted a final parade on Monday, May 25, 2020 beginning at 1:00pm. The company, joined by Barren Hill Fire Company, and Whitemarsh Community Ambulance Association started the final salute route in the southern portion of the Township and worked its way North.



SMFC IS STANDING BY FOR OUR COMMUNITY

Spring Mill Fire Company No. 1 has proudly protected and served the residents, businesses, and visitors of Whitemarsh Township and our surrounding communities, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week since 1923.

We provide protection and peace of mind as it relates to firefighting, rescue operations and fire police services.

SMFC operates a variety of equipment including an E One Squad, E One Ladder Truck with 137ft Ladder, 3 boats for Swift Water Rescue & Dive Rescue Operations, a Fire Police Unit and more.

YTD INCIDENT STATISTICS

TOTAL
ALARMS

145

SPECIAL
SERVICES

32

THANKING OUR ESSENTIAL VOLUNTEERS

You may have seen this sign on lawns throughout the Township. As we are hoping to put the time of fear, stress, uncertainty and frustration slowly behind us; our Active Firefighting Brigade and Administrative Officers were surprised on the morning of May 23rd with a sign on their lawn. This very appreciative surprise was covertly coordinated by our Fire Chief, Bob Shoemaker and Assistant Chief, John Pierce. They put out almost 50 signs over an 8 hour period. Starting late the night of 22 May, until 3:00am. Sometimes it really is the smallest gestures that make the biggest difference. Thank you to all our members and thank you to the community that supports us!



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**HELP US,
HELP YOU!**

If every household could donate just \$25, less than a single tank of gas for most, you can make a tremendous difference. To date we have only raised \$5,000 for our fund drive, on top of the COVID-19 closures that have prevented us from renting our Ballroom, and Social Room which were popular venues for corporate retreats, weddings, and more.

The closures have had a significant financial impact on us, so we need your help now!

We are 95% volunteer, which means most of our personnel are on call 24 hours a day 7 days a week. These men and women drop whatever they are doing at a moment's notice to respond to emergencies in Whitemarsh Township and to provide mutual aid to our surrounding communities.

We have 2 full-time Firefighters who work daily, Monday thru Friday, as well as part time staff that provide evening and weekend coverage.

As a volunteer organization, we are always looking for new members. There are many duties that can be performed in addition to firefighting and responding to emergencies. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer, please visit www.springmillfire.com to learn about our application process.

SUPPORT OUR FUND DRIVE!



FundDrive@SpringMillFire.com



venmo

@SpringMill-Ballroom

INCREASED CAPABILITY IS COMING TO YOUR COMMUNITY!

Spring Mill Fire Company No 1 is excited to announce that our Public Safety Dive Team, one of the few in all of Montgomery County, and 8 of its members will be pursuing training, education, and certification that aligns our divers to the rigorous standards published by the United States Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

This initiative was presented to, and approved by the SMFC Leadership following an exhaustive analysis completed by the dive team to identify the requirements for this designation, a gap assessment of where each diver is and what is needed to attain compliance with the standard, as well as the scope of the program, participating divers, a time line for completion, and a budget. The Spring Mill Dive Team anticipates that 8 divers on the team will be able to complete requirements to be classified as a FEMA compliant diver by 2021.

To attain compliance with the standards published by FEMA our divers will need to complete 4 courses offered by FEMA, a hazardous materials class, a boating safety course, a swim test, a physical, 4 simulated dives, and 7 diving certifications.

Some metrics that highlight the commitment our divers will be making during this program and translate into direct benefits for the residents of Whitemarsh Township are highlighted below:

- 8 Divers Attaining Compliance with FEMA Standards
- 231 Hours of Classroom Learning Across Dive Team Membership
- 125 Training Dives
- 775 Hours in Service
- 64 New Certifications Across Boating, Hazardous Materials, and Diving



FEMA

These statistics consider the fact that our divers are already highly trained and have numerous certifications, without which there would be hundreds of more hours of learning, and training. By the time each diver completes the requirements they will have participated in 140 hours of individual education and training.

The Dive Team and our Public Safety Divers look forward to the increased capability and service we will be able to offer our community once this program is completed!

saveprotectvolunteer.com

WHAT'S YOUR EXCUSE?

We do more than fight fires.

Our team members juggle productive and dynamic careers in all different fields, from accounting to teaching. In addition to their professional lives, members also manage households while still carrying out emergency services and protection of their community. If you're ready to enhance your community involvement and make volunteering apart of your life, consider becoming a member of the Barren Hill Volunteer Fire Company or Spring Mill Fire Company No. 1.



BE COURAGEOUS & VOLUNTEER TODAY!



BARREN HILL

Volunteer Fire Company

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Fire Company No. 1

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4th Annual
MLK
 Clothing Drive
 Fundraiser

Proceeds support the Colonial Neighborhood Council and Whitemarsh Township Day



Collecting usable & wearable men's, women's, and children's clothing, shoes, accessories, belts, handbags, hats, scarves, ties, gloves, and other similar items.



Donations should be placed in standard 13-gallon kitchen trash bags, or any other drawstring garbage bags. No hangers, please!

Drop-Off Location: Cedar Grove Barn
 100 Cedar Grove Road, Conshohocken, PA 19428

In-Person Drop-Off Dates & Times

- Wednesday, January 13th: 8AM-2PM
- Thursday, January 14th: 8AM-2PM
- Friday, January 15th: 8AM-2PM
- Saturday, January 16th: 8AM-12PM
- Monday, January 18th: 8AM-2PM

Non-Staffed Drop-Off

At times that staff are not on-site, you are still able to drop bagged donations in the designated area under the overhang. Donation deadline is Thursday, January 21st at 8pm.

(610) 828-7276
www.whitemarshparks.org

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WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP

The Board of Supervisors receives the assistance of various boards/commissions in the operations of the Township. The various boards/commissions are staffed by citizen volunteers who commit hours of their personal time and bring their talents and skills to the township government. The following is a list of the boards and commissions and the members. If you would like to serve on any of these boards or commissions, please visit the Township website and submit a volunteer application. ***The "Board & Committee Members" list is current as of September 25, 2020.***

PUBLIC MEETING DATES & TIMES

At this time, all public meetings are being held via Zoom, in accordance with Public Health Guidance, and any changes will be announced via the Township's website, social media platforms, and Whitemarsh TV.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Second and fourth Thursday of each month at 7 pm at the Township Building - Also televised LIVE on Comcast Ch. 965 and Verizon Ch. 46.

EMERGENCY SERVICES BOARD

Third Wednesday of each alternating months starting with the month of February at 7 pm - locations vary

THE WHITEMARSH AUTHORITY

Third Wednesday of each month at 7 pm at the Township Building

ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY BOARD

Third Monday of every other month starting January at 7 pm at the Township Building

SHADE TREE COMMISSION

First Tuesday of each month at 7 pm at the Township Building

HISTORICAL ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD (joint with Plymouth Township)

Second Wednesday of each month at 8:30 am at the Township Building

OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE

Fourth Wednesday of every third month starting with January at 7 pm at the Township Building

MEDIA COMMUNICATIONS ADVISORY BOARD

Fourth Monday of every other month starting with January at 7 pm at the Township Building

LIBRARY BOARD

Fourth Wednesday of each month at 7:30 pm at the Library

PARKS & RECREATION BOARD

First Tuesday of every other month starting February at 7 pm at Koontz Park

PLANNING COMMISSION

Second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 7 pm at the Township Building

ZONING HEARING BOARD

First Wed. of each month at 7 pm, plus the second Wed. following (if needed) at 7 pm at the Township Building.

Some meetings may be cancelled, rescheduled or relocated, so please check the Township website for the latest meeting schedule.



BOARD & COMMITTEE MEMBERS

**ETHICAL STANDARDS
ADVISORY BOARD**

Nancy Langerfeld
Paul Stanish
Lester Weinraub

OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE

Stephen J. Kaufman, *Chair*
Christopher L. Lane, *Vice-Chair*
Joan Biddle
Christopher Indelicato
Deborah Lamb
Hugh G. Moulton

PLANNING COMMISSION

Robert Dambman, *Chair*
Patrick Doran, *Vice-Chair*
Sherri Glantz Patchen
Scott Quitel
Elizabeth Shaw-Fink
J. David Shula, PLS

**HUMAN RELATIONS
COMMISSION**

Celine Childs
Jennifer Etkin

VACANCY BOARD

Debra Brenner
Ari Greis
Shari Petrakis
Chris Solecki
Beth Waks

**MEDIA COMMUNICATIONS
ADVISORY BOARD**

Lisa Litzinger-Drayton, *Chair*
Ryan Hurley, *Vice-Chair*
Mark Cratin
Sharon Harvey
Crystal Taylor

**ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY
BOARD**

Deborah Sheero, *Chair*
Lou Ann Merkle, *Vice-Chair*
Gordon Geasland
Debra Harris
Deborah Heuckeroth

SHADE TREE COMMISSION

Stephen J. Ziegler, *Chair*
David D'Amore, *Vice-Chair*
Natalie Borkowski
Christian Fassbender
Patrice Turenne

**WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP
AUTHORITY**

Timothy Ferris, *Chair*
Jonathan Riesberg, *Vice-Chair*
Jeffrey Mitchell, *Secretary*
Jori Broad
Jeanette Qirus
Gene Swider

**PARKS & RECREATION
BOARD**

Joanne S. Crawford, *Chair*
Thomas J. Manley, *Vice-Chair*
James Convey
Terry Ferris
Kevin Kissling
Megan O'Rourke

ZONING HEARING BOARD

James F. Behr, *Chair*
Robert A. Bacine, *Vice-Chair*
Stanley Casacio
William E. Kramer
Marc Weinstein
Randi Rubin Goldstein (*Alternate*)

LIBRARY BOARD

Stan Finegold, *President*
Dara Nasatir, *Vice-President*
Sally D. Lane, MD
David Segal
Diane Smith-Hoban
Eileen S. Spector
Linda Doll, *Friends President*

**HISTORICAL
ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW
BOARD**

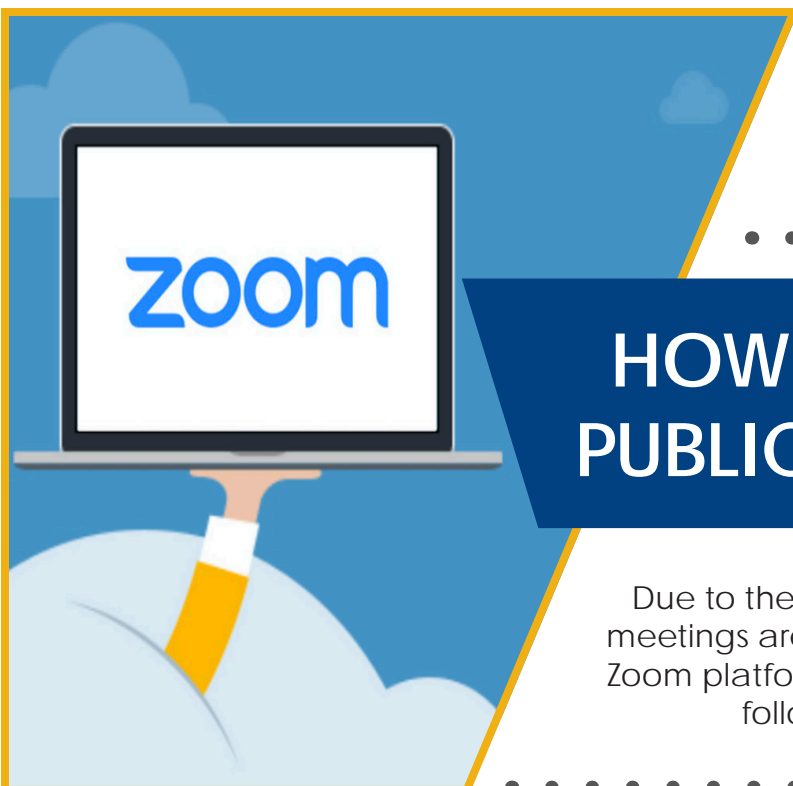
Gerald Rafter, *Chair*
Timothy Ford
Tom Higgins
Kenneth A. Parsons, AIA
*(Plymouth Township also appoints 4 members.
The 9th is appointed by the members of the
HARB)*

**EMERGENCY SERVICES
BOARD**

John Lukens, *Chair*
Alex DiGiacomo, Jr., *Vice-Chair*
Eileen Behr
Susannah Conicello
Wayne Masters
Maria Pierce
Carol Proud
Renard Rose
Chris Schwartz
Bob Shoemaker
Becki Werner
Fire Marshal, Scott Lynch
Chief of Police, Chris Ward
Township Manager, Richard L. Mellor, Jr.

PARTICIPATION

Service minded residents interested in participating on one of the township's volunteer boards or committees should submit a completed volunteer application to the Manager's Office. The application can be found at www.whitemarshtwp.org.



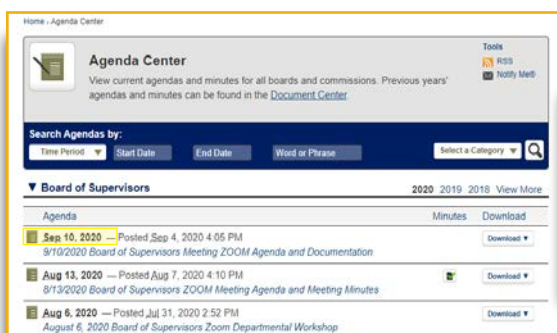
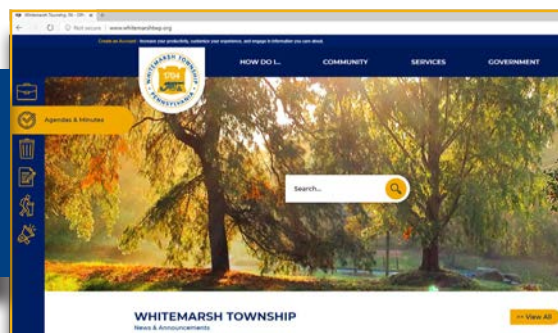
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PUBLIC ZOOM
MEETING
ACCESS**

HOW TO ACCESS OUR PUBLIC ZOOM MEETINGS

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, public Township meetings are currently being hosted virtually, on the Zoom platform. To join any of these virtual meetings, follow the instructions listed below!

1

Go to www.whitemarshwp.org and select "**Agendas & Minutes**"



2

Click the link to the posted agenda.

3

Click the **Meeting URL**, or copy & paste it into a web browser, to access the meeting. When prompted, enter the **Meeting ID & Password** provided.

ZOOM MEETING PARTICIPATION INFORMATION

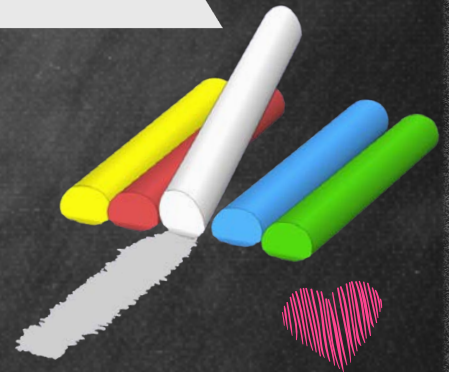
The Whitemarsh Township Board of Supervisors will hold their monthly meeting on Thursday, September 10, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. In response to the COVID 19 health pandemic, and to promote social distancing this meeting will be conducted via ZOOM. Members of the Board, staff and public will participate remotely. The public may join this meeting by either telephone using the dial in number or entering the URL on an internet browser. Below you will find instructions on how to access and participate in the meeting:

- Meeting Date: Thursday, September 10, 2020
- Meeting Time: 6:00 PM
- Meeting URL: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89151337130>
- Meeting via Zoom App: if you have the Zoom App on your smartphone, tablet, or computer, open the program, click Join a meeting, and enter the Meeting ID: 891-5133-7130
- Meeting dial in number (no video): 1-646-558-8656
- Meeting ID number (to be entered when prompted): 891 5133 7130

WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP CHALK IT UP CONTEST

Saturday, October 17, 2020

Miles Park
Excercise Track
10AM-12PM



Join us for our first ever Chalk it Up Contest at Miles Park with your family and compete for a chance to win a trophy! Registration is \$10.00 a family. Pre-Registration is required.

Judging to take place at 12PM



www.whitemarshparks.org

610-828-7276



ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY BOARD

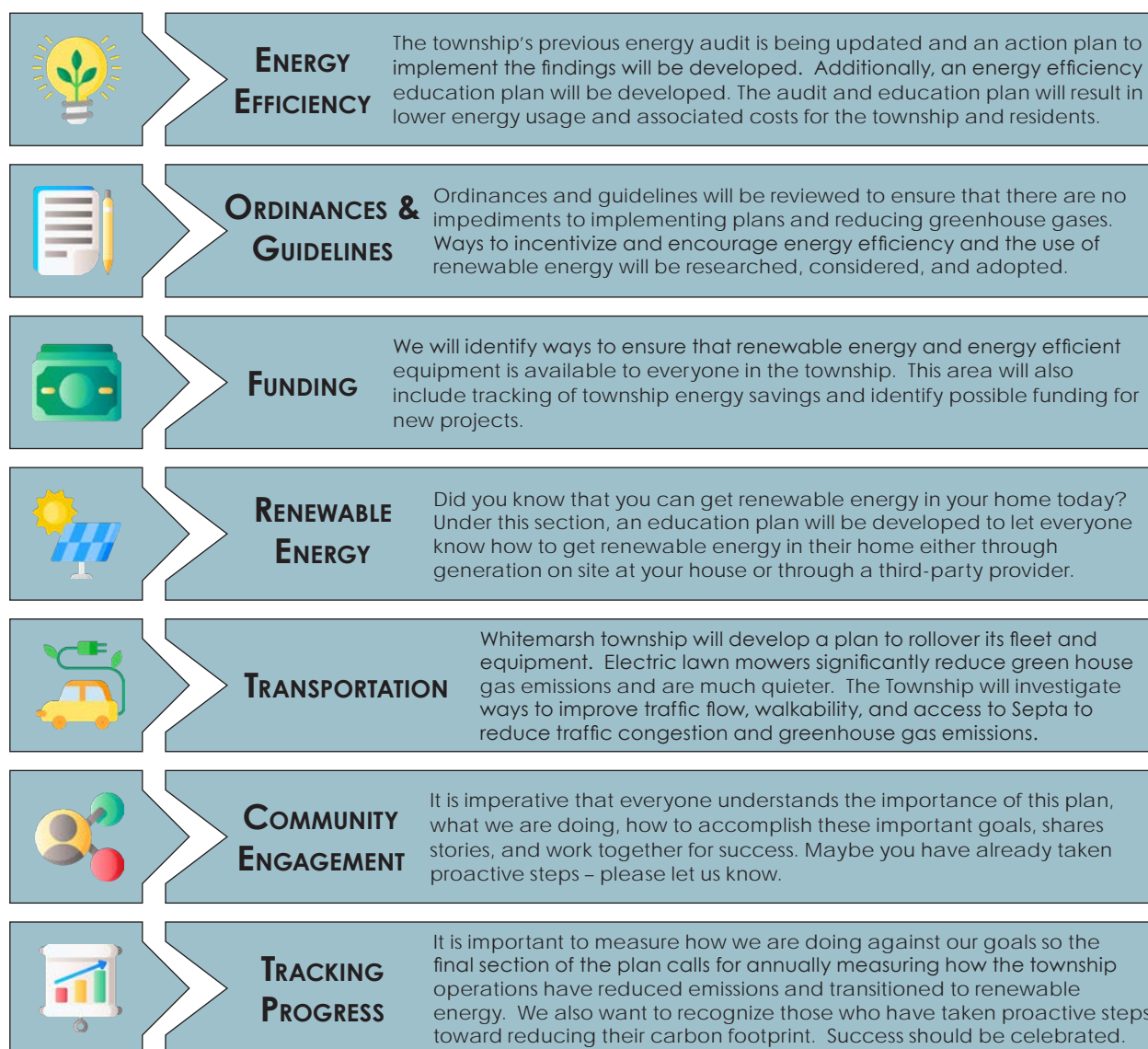
WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP'S ENERGY TRANSITION PLAN

Renewable energy and efficient energy usage are important for all of us. They help reduce the stress on our environment, create jobs, and lower your monthly bills. Whitemarsh Township passed a renewable energy resolution in February 2019. The township was one of the first in the county to have committed to procuring 100% of its electric energy from renewable sources by 2035 and all energy by 2050. Since then, more than 10 other municipalities in Montgomery County alone have also made this commitment.

One of the first actions required by the resolution was the development and adoption of an Energy Transition Plan which lays out the steps that the

township will take to reach our energy goals. On July 9, 2020, the Board of Supervisors unanimously approved an Energy Transition Plan for the township. The plan was the result of months of work by a dedicated working group of the Whitemarsh Township Environmental Advisory Board (EAB) and members of the EAB.

You will be hearing a lot more about the actions being implemented as part of the Energy Transition Plan over the next months and years. To give you some initial insight, the Energy Transition Plan is comprised of seven sections as follows:



This is an exciting step toward helping ensure that we can preserve our earth for years to come. Stay tuned and reach out to the EAB if you have questions or ideas to share. Better yet, the EAB is always looking for volunteers committed to the environment.

SHADE TREES OF WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP

Trees are a vital component to our ecological system and perform many functions. Living in this period of time, where we are forced to slow down, hopefully our surroundings are getting a closer look and appreciation. We would like to point out some of the essential roles of trees within our community. Large shade trees (oak, maple, locust, walnut, the list is huge), perform the function of reducing atmospheric carbon dioxide, lowering temperatures for people and buildings, beautifying spaces by adding color/texture/line/form and helping the wildlife habitat. Perhaps one of the most important roles large trees play within the landscape is their ability to reduce storm water runoff and the pollutants that exist within that water. The Shade Tree Commission would like to urge you to help

preserve and protect one of our most precious natural resources, large shade trees.

One of the ways we can help trees grow happy and healthy, is by avoiding the dreaded mulch volcano. Mulch should never be applied deeper than 2-4 inches and never directly against the trunk. Allow the tree's root flare (thickest part of the trunk at base of tree) to show just above ground level. Mulch to the tree's drip line whenever possible. If you keep the trunk dry and the root's moist, you'll have a happy tree.



SHADE TREE COMMISSION



The Whitemarsh Township Open Space Committee is constantly searching for opportunities to preserve and increase open space in the Township. The obvious candidates are large properties, but additional small open space areas would further enhance the quality of life in our community. Toward that end, we would like to encourage participation by residents of the Township.

If you see properties that are vacant, run-down, or otherwise have potential to be left as, or converted to, open space for public use and preservation, please let us know by e-mailing to the following address: **TBlomstrom@whitemarshtwp.org**.

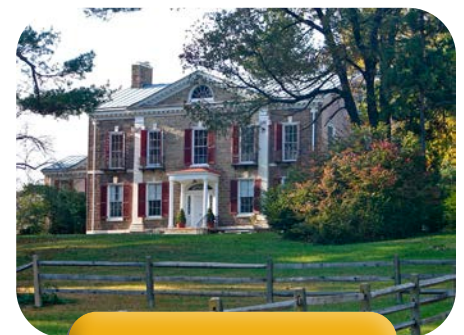
In the subject line of the e-mail, please include "Open Space Suggestion" to help us sort through those responses.

The Open Space Committee will review all suggestions, determine those that meet the proper criteria, prioritize them, and develop strategies to determine suitability for acquisition as open space.

Thank you for your interest and participation in this effort! To learn more about the work of the Committee, and the history and benefits of open space, please visit the Open Space Committee web page, listed beside this article.



OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE



VISIT

[HTTPS://WWW.WHITEMARSHTWP.ORG/OSC](https://www.whitemarshtwp.org/osc)



**PLANNING
COMMISSION**

WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP'S COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE

The Planning Commission completed its review of the 2019 Selective Comprehensive Plan Update (draft) in March. **Bergmann**, our consultant, has incorporated all of their comments and edits into a new draft, dated May 2020; it is currently available on the Township's website.

As a refresher, the Update was for the Land Use and Housing sections of the 2003 Comprehensive Plan but goals, policies, and proposed implementation actions were actually developed in four areas of concern: Land Use; Housing; Circulation; and Quality of Life.

Similar to what we had done for the 2019 Draft, the new Draft Update was sent out for review by the Montgomery County Planning Commission, surrounding municipalities, the Colonial School District and the PA Historic and Museum Commission. The Planning Commission considered the reviews we received at their August 22nd meeting, as well as comments provided by the Township's Open Space Committee. Based upon these reviews, they recommended some final adjustments to the document which are currently being incorporated by **Bergmann**.



Major changes from the 2019 draft include:

- New section entitled, 'Premise of the Comprehensive Plan Update' which explains the 'environmental underpinnings' of the Plan.
- Updated Land Use Plan (graphic) and character area descriptions; 'Mixed Use Node' and 'Mixed Use Corridor' replaced previous 'Mixed Use' category, new 'Historic District Overlay' was added along Bethlehem Pike in the Fort Washington area, in addition to some modifications to the distribution of other uses.
- New actions added to Goal 4 (Quality of Life), Policy 4 (Sustainable Design and Environmental Stewardship).
- Action Plan (which is arranged by Goal and Policy), has been substantially updated and within each Policy, rearranged by priority.
- Appendix D is new; it lists all recommended actions recommended throughout the Update, according to priority.

The next step is for the Planning Commission to hold a 'Public Meeting' as required by state law. That is going to be scheduled for October 13th; it will be announced on our website and formally advertised; please watch for it.

Following that meeting, the Planning Commission is expected to make a recommendation for adoption to the Board of Supervisors, who will hold an advertised 'Public Hearing' (also required by state law) to consider adoption of the Selective Comprehensive Plan Update. We anticipate this being held within about a month of the Planning Commission's Public Meeting; again, please watch our website for announcement of the date. In the meantime, please find a copy of the latest Plan draft on the Township's website at:

<https://www.whitemarshtwp.org/CompPlanUpdate2020>

SAVE AMERICAN AGRICULTURE AND FORESTS

JOIN THE BATTLE. BEAT THE BUG.

STOP THE SPREAD OF THE SPOTTED LANTERNFLY.

CHECK YOUR VEHICLE

Search for all spotted lanternfly life stages



Egg mass
Sept.-June



Early nymph
April-July

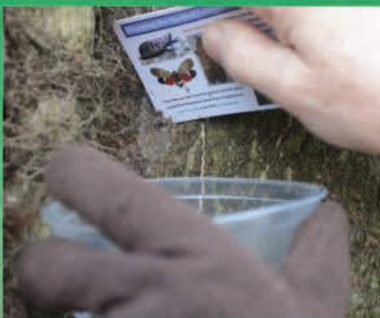


Late nymph
July-Sept.



Adult
July-Dec.

SCRAPE. SQUASH. REPORT.



Scrape
egg masses into a
container of rubbing
alcohol or hand sanitizer



Squash
any bugs
you see

**Contact your
State Department of
Agriculture**

Report
any sightings





**4051 Joshua Road
Lafayette Hill, PA 19444
610-828-0441**

EMAIL

jeanesinfo@mclinc.org

WEBSITE

www.jeaneslibrary.org

OR SCAN THIS QR CODE



William Jeanes Memorial Library's mission is to be a resource center that serves the diverse and changing needs of the community by providing materials, programs and services for education, enrichment and enjoyment.

LIBRARY NEWS

The William Jeanes Memorial Library and Nicholas and Athena Karabots Center for Learning has reopened for limited hours and services. We have many platforms for delivering our outstanding programming and resources online, and we are constantly adding new, innovative services and events.

Please sign up for our newsletters, visit our website, or stop by to pick up a copy of our monthly calendar, and to talk to our staff about how you can connect with us from home.

For certain events, we will require registration, and only those who register will be able to access the program. Other events, like our popular story-times and the new "Hot Cakes and Hot Reads," are presented live on Facebook, and the recordings of those programs may be accessed any time.

Many online resources previously available only in the Library are now accessible from home. Free Ancestry.com, the Philadelphia Inquirer online, and many more resources are just a click away with your library card. Contact the Library to renew your card, update your account details, or apply for a new one!

LIBRARY NEWS

- New collections to browse, new devices to check out, and new virtual programs for **YOU!**
- Sign up for our monthly newsletter—ask our staff for information, visit our website, or sign up here: <http://bit.ly/WJNnewsletter>
- Sign up for **Wowbrary**, our weekly newsletter featuring all of the new items added to the Collection in the previous week. See our website for details.
- Our complete **Calendar of Events** is available on our website and at either Check-Out Desk.
- Follow us on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram, for news, events, and fun!



 @WilliamJeanesMemorialLibrary

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LIBRARY HOURS

Please call the Library or visit our website to confirm our hours before coming over.

**Closed November. 26 - 29, December 24-26, and December 31.

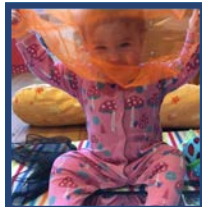
ALL PROGRAMS ARE VIRTUAL THIS FALL.
PLEASE CHECK OUR CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR DETAILS.

CHILDREN'S EVENTS

WEEKLY CHILDREN'S STORYTIMES

Sensory Storytime (3 yrs. & up)
Tuesdays, 10:00 am

Babes & Books (0-18 mos.)
Tuesdays, 11:00 am



MONTHLY SPECIAL EVENTS

CHECK THE CALENDAR FOR DATES

Pajama Storytime (up to age 7)

One Wed. @ 6:30 pm

Rainbow Reads

One Wed. @ 6:30 pm

All storytimes take place on Facebook Live.
Visit our Facebook page for details and to view current
and past storytimes!

Look for other fun upcoming programs like "Make and
Take Crafts" and more on our website or by signing up for
our Children's Newsletter.

For additional information, dates and times of monthly
and special Kids' events, please visit jeaneslibrary.org
or contact **Rachel Fecho, Children's Librarian**,
at 610-828-0441 x104 or RFecho@mclinc.org.

ADULT EVENTS



Book Clubs come together on
the 3rd Wednesday at 3:00 pm,
and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 pm.*
Visit the website for a schedule
of books and discussion guides.

*New time for Fall 2020!

Netflix Viewing Parties are held one evening each
month, and a virtual Netflix Discussion is held the
following evening. A Netflix subscription is required

Hot Cakes and Hot Reads Join Adult Services
Librarian Adam Gilbert-Cole as he makes his favorite
pancake recipes and discusses his latest great reads!

The program airs on Facebook Live two Sunday
mornings a month, but the recording is available to
view any time. Catch up on past episodes on our
Facebook page!

Look for more virtual events and special
programs on our website and by signing up for our
Adult Programs Newsletter on our website.

For additional information, dates and times of monthly
and special Adult events, please visit
our website at jeaneslibrary.org or contact
Adam Gilbert-Cole, Adult Services & Reference Librarian,
at 610-828-0441 x103 or ACole@mclinc.org.

WEEKLY TRIVIA NIGHTS

Check our calendar for our
Weekly Trivia Nights!

With up to 100 participants,
our themed Trivia Nights
have been a big hit with
participants from across the country!
If you are a local business and wish to sponsor a
prize, please contact **Sara Huff** at SHuff@mclinc.org.



TEEN EVENTS

Youth Advisory Board (YAB) meets on the 1st Friday
from 4:30 - 6:00 pm. Teens grades 6-12 help create,
plan, and implement teen programs for the William
Jeanes Memorial Library.

The Q-Crew meets on the 2nd Wednesday from 6:30
to 8:00 pm. LGBTQ+ teens and allies are invited to join
the Library's Q Crew! Come discuss past and current
topics, issues, and events in a safe space.

Anime Club* happens on the 4th Monday from 6:30 -
8:00 pm. Do you enjoy anime and manga? If so, join
our Anime Club! Bring your friends (and make new
ones) as you watch and discuss your favorite anime.

*Program courtesy of the Friends of the William Jeanes
Memorial Library.

For additional information, dates, and times of
monthly and special Teen events,
please visit jeaneslibrary.org/events or contact
Sara Huff, Teen Librarian, at
610-828-0441 x113 or SHuff@mclinc.org.

CONNECTING EXCEPTIONAL PEOPLE

An award-winning monthly social
series for young adults ages 18+ with
special needs and abilities!

3rd Fridays 6:30 - 8 pm*

*New time for Fall 2020

Registration in the program is required.



CEP is held in partnership with Whitmarsh Township Parks and Recreation,
and is partially funded by a grant from CCRES.

FRIENDS OF THE WILLIAM JEANES MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Visit our website to see what the Friends are up to this Fall!

Please note that we are **NOT**
accepting book donations at this time.
Please do not leave anything outside the Library.
Thank you for understanding!

FRIENDS OF THE WILLIAM
JEANES MEMORIAL LIBRARY

FALL 2020 OUTDOOR BOOK SALES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

AND

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

10:00 AM TO 1:00 PM

in the Lower Parking Lot--weather permitting

Adult paperbacks, Teen and Children's books, DVDs, blu-rays, CDs, and more!

- Cash only and change may not be available.
- No checks or credit cards please.
- Masks required and gloves encouraged.

Register online for a shopping time or scan here:





Create together online at WhitemarshArts.org

Are you looking for a creative outlet and a sense of community? Interact with fellow artistic spirits online and learn from our talented teachers. Register to reserve your spot.

Below are reoccurring classes offered this fall and winter:

Sculptural & Functional Ceramics

8 Weeks | Live Zoom + Video Tutorials



Charlotte Lindley Martin & Matt Courtney

Explore hand building techniques using templates, slabs, coiling and pinching followed by underglaze and sgraffito decoration. All eight projects are easily created at the kitchen table.

Oil & Acrylic Painting Techniques

5 Weeks | Live Zoom



Stefanie Lieberman

Hands-on class focused on using a variety of painting techniques to bring the surface quality of your painting to a new level. Learn how to use the palette knife, glazes and a host of other paint applications for a more expressive and satisfying result.

Parent - Child Ceramics Courses

5 Weeks | Live Zoom + Video | Ages 5-7 & 8-12



Charlotte Lindley Martin & Matt Courtney

Engages parents / caregivers and kids while introducing them to the joys and fundamentals of clay hand building. Learn to make a variety of fun and functional projects in a creative and low pressure environment.

Advanced Ceramic Hand Building

4 Weeks | Live Zoom



Charlotte Lindley Martin

Take your hand building skills to the next level. Together we'll make a series of complicated forms using slabs and darts. Specific attention will be given to surface decoration, texture, slip trailing, and colored underglazes.

Alla Prima Painting

5 Weeks | Live Zoom



Stefanie Lieberman

In Italian, *Alla Prima* means "at first attempt." In each class we'll create a small painting. Working wet-into-wet, we'll discover how much can be accomplished in a short time.

Still Life Competition

1 Day | Online



October 17th - Over \$400 in prizes

Spend the day painting or drawing a unique still life from the comfort of your home. Before 8 AM, we'll announce a few common (but fun!) items artists should include in still lifes. We'll post artists' progress paintings throughout the day.

WHITEMARSH TOWNSHIP



PARKS AND RECREATION

TEENIE HALLOWEENIE 2020

OCTOBER 20TH

10^{AM} - 12^{PM}

- OR -

2^{PM} - 4^{PM}

COME DRESSED IN COSTUME FOR A SPOOKTACULAR TIME!

100 CEDAR GROVE ROAD, CONSHOHOCKEN, PA 19428

\$5.00 PER-CHILD - AGES 2 THROUGH 6

PICK YOUR TIMESLOT. PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED.

PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS FRIDAY, OCT. 16TH

(610) 828-7276

WWW.WHITEMARSHPARKS.ORG



The Whitemarsh Weekly



WHITEMARSH WEEKLY



TOWNSHIP NEWS SENT STRAIGHT TO YOUR INBOX!

Stay up to date on everything that's happening in Whitemarsh Township, by signing up to receive the **Whitemarsh Weekly E-Newsletter** in your e-mail!

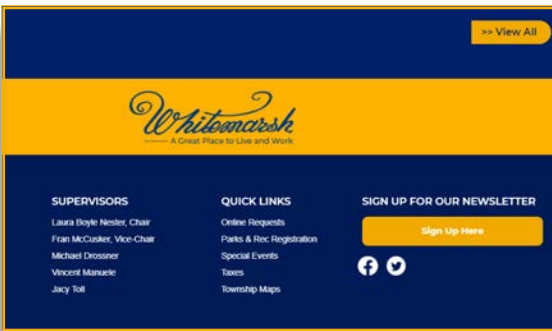
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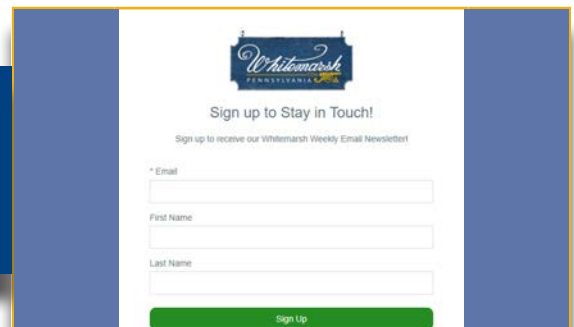
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Scroll down to the bottom of the page and click on the **Sign Up Here Button**.



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Fill out the information requested on the form that pops up, and click **Sign Up** to finish!





Whitemarsh Township
616 Germantown Pike
Lafayette Hill, PA 19444
whitemarshtwp.org

Staying in the know is easy, green, and cost-effective! Choose to opt-out of receiving future physical copies of the “Whitemarsh Living” and the “Recreator”. You can help decrease Whitemarsh’s environmental footprint and help save on printing and postage costs.

Visit the link below to be placed on the “opt-out list” for future mailings. Digital copies of the publications will be made accessible on the Township’s website.

www.whitemarshtwp.org/opt-out



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